

CONSTITUTION

(Adopted December 28, 1906.)

ARTICLE I.

NAME.

SECTION 1. This organization shall be known as THE ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA.

ARTICLE II.

OBJECTS.

SECTION 1. It shall be the purpose of this society to promote the science of entomology in all its branches, to secure co-operation in all measures tending to that end, and to facilitate personal intercourse between entomologists.

ARTICLE III.

MEMBERSHIP.

SECTION 1. The membership of this society shall consist of three classes—members, fellows, and honorary fellows.

SEC. 2. All persons interested in entomology shall be eligible to membership.

SEC. 3. Members who have made important contributions to the science of entomology may be elected fellows or honorary fellows of the society.

ARTICLE IV.

OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The officers of this society shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, and a Secretary-Treasurer. The duties of these officers shall be those usually pertaining to their respective offices.

SEC. 2. The business of the society not otherwise provided for shall be in the hands of an Executive Committee consisting of the officers named in Section 1, and of six additional members, who shall be elected from the Fellows by the Society. Four members of the committee shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 3. The President shall represent the society upon the Council of the American Association for the Advancement of Science until such time as the society shall be qualified for representation by two councillors, in which case the second councillor shall be elected from the Fellows by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE V.

ELECTIONS.

SECTION 1. Election of Members—Nominations for membership may be made by any two members, and election shall be by the Executive Committee.

SEC. 2. Election of Fellows—All nominations for fellows shall be signed by three or more fellows and each nomination shall be accompanied by the following information concerning the nominee: Name, address, occupation, branches of entomology engaged in, positions held involving entomological experience, entomological work done, and list of more important publications. Election shall be by ballot by the Executive Committee, a majority vote of the committee being necessary for election.

SEC. 3. Election of Officers—All officers shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting for a term of one year, and shall be eligible for re-election. All officers, Secretary-Treasurer excepted, and all additional members of the Executive Committee shall be chosen from the list of Fellows. Provided: The first permanent officers, Secretary-Treasurer excepted, and all additional members of the Executive Committee shall be chosen from members who at the time of their election are Fellows of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

SEC. 4. Election of Honorary Fellows—All nominations for Honorary Fellows shall be made in the manner prescribed for the nomination of Fellows, the nominations being presented to the Executive Committee, who shall mail the ballots to the Fellows. Election shall be by mail ballot of the Fellows of the society, a two-thirds vote of all the Fellows being required for election.

ARTICLE VI.

MEETINGS.

SECTION 1. An annual meeting shall be held in conjunction with the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and at such time and place as the officers may elect.

ARTICLE VII.

AMENDMENTS.

SECTION 1. This constitution may be altered or amended at any annual meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members present, a copy of each amendment proposed having been presented at the previous annual meeting.

BY-LAWS.

1. The annual dues for members and Fellows shall be one dollar.
2. A majority of the members present at an annual meeting shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.
3. Notice of all meetings of the society shall be sent to all members at least one month in advance.
4. The Executive Committee shall provide a program for all meetings, including at the annual meeting a popular lecture and a technical entomological exhibit of materials and methods.
5. The time of the business session shall be published prior to the opening session of the annual meeting.